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On The Move

CITY NEWSLETTER

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Business Licensing 801-483-6063
Code Enforcement 801-464-6712
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Justice Court 801-483-6072
Police Admin 801-412-3606
Promise 801-483-6057
Public Works 801-483-6045
Recreation 801-412-3217
Utility Billing 801-483-6074

Emergencies 911
Police/Fire Dispatch 801-840-4000



Mayor Cherie Wood

Being Waterwise Means Acting Now

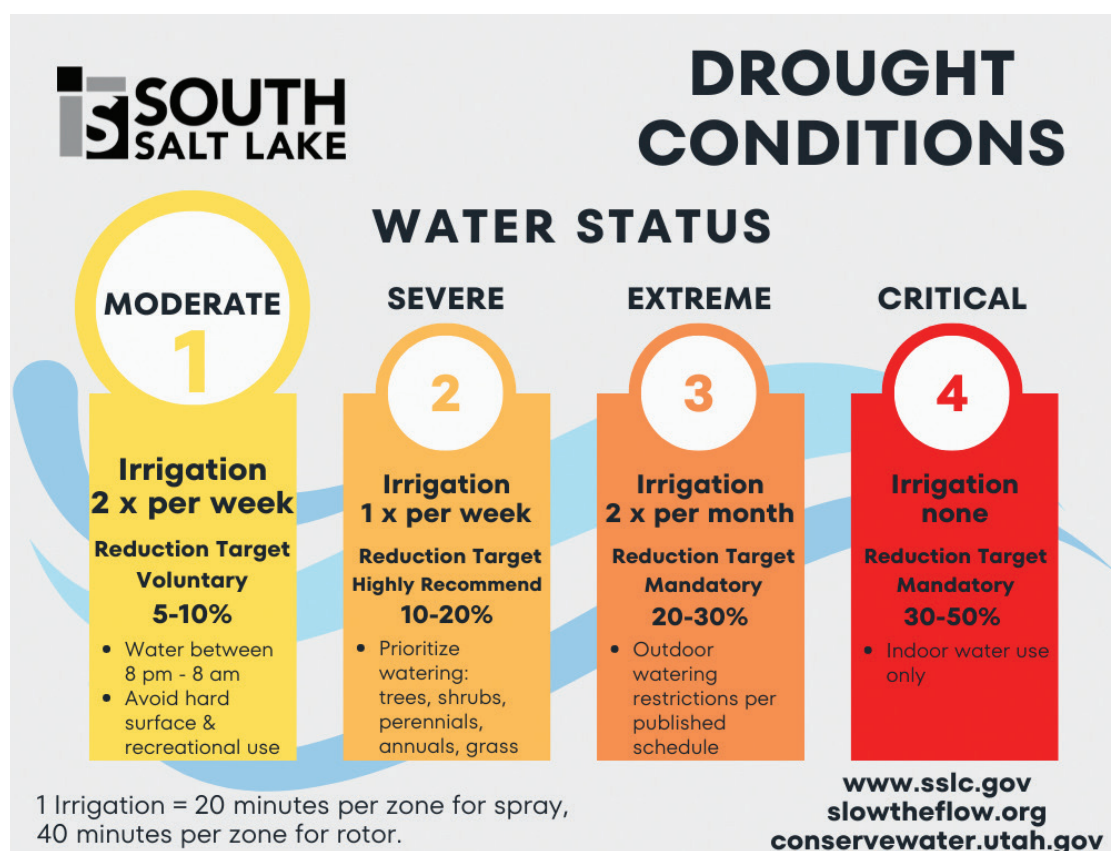
Our most valuable of all our natural resources is front and center this month. It's what we often take for granted, as we go to turn on a faucet and expect it to run indefinitely to meet our needs. This message is about our water supply, and beyond an ongoing severe drought in the state, more startling news is how the lower levels are impacting the health of our creeks, rivers, and our Great Salt Lake and its ability to preserve migratory birds and wildlife. Water is not just about supplying our personal and agricultural needs; it's also about protecting our environment.

As a simple guideline for those who live and operate businesses in South Salt Lake, with the current Level 1 or MODERATE water level status, the following recommendations for outdoor irrigation is to water twice a week, for no more than 20 minutes, and only between the hours of 8 p.m. and 8 a.m. As conditions may change, watch for posted city messages and alerts, as they will direct your attention to the most current water level status and actions to take.

More than 60 percent of Utah's drinking water is used on outdoor landscapes—and with water shortages expected as early as 2040, changing the way landscaping is done in Utah is becoming increasingly important. As a resource, local water conservation demonstration gardens provide valuable visual resources on what waterwise landscaping looks like, and offer expert educational resources and ideas for their landscapes.

Jordan Valley Water Conservation Garden Park
8215 S. 1300 W, West Jordan
conservationgardenpark.org

Focusing mostly on our outdoor irrigation systems, the City is conserving too. Following water level status recommendations, our current plan includes allowing several of our parks and lawns to go yellow this season. Except for Central Park (2797 S 200 East), where this sports field will remain green because of its high use during the summer months for softball and soccer. At Central Park, SSL also hosts several outdoor community events, like National Night Out (Tuesday, August 2nd) and Movies in the Park (Friday, July 29th and August 5th).



Public Meetings

For more info: www.sslc.gov

City Council

Wed, July 13, 7 p.m.

Wed, July 27, 7 p.m.

Planning Commission

Thurs, July 14, 7 p.m.

Thurs, July 21, 7 p.m.

Civilian Review Board

Mon, July 11, 6:30 p.m.

City Offices and Community Centers Closed

Monday, July 4

Monday, July 25

In observance of Independence and Pioneer Day


Spot a broken sprinkler?

or something related to the city's watering system that needs attention?

Please report any issues to our SSL Neighborhoods team!




Seeing Yellow? Learn about rebates, schedule a water check, or pick up your water conservation sign by visiting slowtheflow.org.



Prioritize Watering


WATER TO SURVIVE NOT THRIVE



PRIORITY #1

Trees


Trees provide shade, help cool your home and produce oxygen.



PRIORITY #2

Shrubs


Shrubs filter dust and pollution from the air and help dampen traffic noise.



PRIORITY #3

Perennials


Over time, perennial plant roots help improve the soil in your landscape.



PRIORITY #4

Annuals




Annuals provide pollen for bees and other pollinators as well as food for hummingbirds.



PRIORITY #5

Turfgrass

Grasses are tough! They will enter dormancy during times of drought and recover when conditions improve.

HELP CONSERVE WATER—During drought, little changes make a big difference. Learn about the priorities of which outdoor plants to water first. Learn more at: drought.utah.gov

SSL'S NIGHT OUT AGAINST CRIME & EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS FAIR



FREE FOOD & FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY



TUESDAY, AUGUST 2
5:00-8:00 p.m.
Central Park Community Center
2797 S 200 E



Safety Info ★ **Preparedness Tips** ★ **Games** ★ **South Salt Lake Fire Department**
www.sslc.gov

CITY COUNCIL CORNER

How a Simple Hello Can Build Community

Natalie Pinkney, SSL City Council At-Large

As the weather has begun to warm, we will find ourselves out more. You may explore the beautiful Wasatch Mountains, hike the Jordan River Trail, or dip your toes in the pool. Whatever it may be, it is the spirit of summer that brings us joy and sunshine. Summer is also a good time to get to know your neighbors more. While we all have long days in which we would rather not talk to anyone, I sometimes imagine what it may look like to be a community of people instead of a street of homes.

I remember the first time my neighbor knocked on my door. He came on a weekday evening to ask for a drill. I was perplexed because I thought he would have said sugar like in the movies but instead, he asked for a drill for a project he was

working on. We gave him the drill and my husband also offered to help out. A couple of days passed, and he dropped off a case of beer as a thank you. We were pleasantly surprised and grateful. After that, we continued to help each other with repairs, moving furniture, dropping off baked cookies, or even chatting about our weekends. It's incredible how a simple wave or hello can mean building a community.

As we all continue to navigate through these challenging times, I am reminded of the importance of support networks. Not many people talk to their neighbors, if anything it seems taboo. However, what if we did? What if we had a whole street that we could rely on for a chat, an ear, or a drill?

Note: Opinions expressed here may not be representative of all Members of the City Council.

South Salt Lake City Council Action Report Summary

Full agendas, minutes, handouts and video recorded meetings available at: sslc.com/city-government/council-meeting

Date	Agenda Item	Subject	Action	Next Step
5/25/22	Amend Zoning Map	An Ordinance to amend the SSL Zoning Map from Open Space with a Nature Center Pilot Project Overlay and Jordan River to Tracy Aviary's Jordan River Nature Center	Approved	No Further Discussion
6/8/22	Naming of a Community Garden	Naming of Community Garden Discussion	Moved to Unfinished Business for a meeting to be determined	Further Discussion
6/15/22	Resolution Adopting a Proposed Tax Rate	A Resolution Adopting a proposed Tax Rate for Fiscal Year July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2023	Approved	No Further Discussion
6/15/22	Resolutions to approve tentative budgets as Interim Budgets	Resolutions to adopt and operate on the tentative budgets as the interim budgets for FY July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2023 until a Truth in Taxation Public Hearing is held and the Final Budget is adopted.	Approved – Truth in Taxation Hearing will be held on August 9 th	Further discussion after the Truth in Taxation Hearing

Public Safety

Safety in our Neighborhoods

Message from SSLPD Chief Jack Carruth

I attended all the individual neighborhood discussions over the last month. Several residents brought up concerns about speeding, traffic issues, crosswalk and bicycle safety.

The police department works with traffic engineers to conduct traffic flow and speed studies throughout the city. For the most part, community members are driving in a safe and responsible manner.

As a police department, we support the community by addressing speeding concerns. We do our best to conduct

enforcement action in areas where we receive complaints or observe concerns.

With school out for the summer and the warmer weather, there are more people out enjoying our parks and local amenities. Crosswalk safety is a growing concern. Use crosswalks and marked intersections to move through the city. Be alert and always use caution in our neighborhoods and around town.

I value your input and would enjoy getting to know our community members better. I want to hear from you. I would like to encourage you to attend our Coffee with a Cop which is held on the first Wednesday of every month.



Fireworks Safety Tips & Restrictions

Message from SSLFD Chief Terry Addison

The South Salt Lake Fire Department has been monitoring current drought conditions and has determined that fireworks, explosive devices, and open flames create a safety hazard to the community due to the lack of moisture content in vegetation. We ask that you consider the weather and "Skip another Year" on fireworks discharge and follow the guidelines listed below.

2022 FIREWORKS DISCHARGE DATES

Fireworks can be legally discharged between the hours of 11 am & 11 pm except as noted:

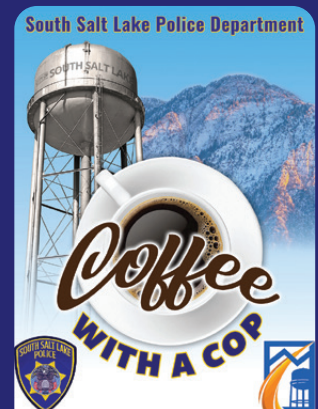
July 2 – July 5 (July 4 hours extended to midnight)

July 22 – July 25 (July 24 hours extended to midnight)

It is illegal to ignite any firework in any area of the city west of 900 West. It is illegal to ignite any firework within 20 feet of any residence, dwelling, or other structure. It is illegal to ignite any firework on property owned by South Salt Lake. It is illegal to ignite any firework within 200 feet of waterways, trails, canyons, washes, ravines, or similar areas. Additionally, we require the City's open burning rules and regulations to be followed. Except

for approved designated recreational fires, open burning is not allowed within the City limits of South Salt Lake.

- A portable outdoor fireplace cannot be used within 15 feet of a structure
- Open flame cooking devices cannot be used within 10 feet of a structure or on balconies, except where buildings, balconies and decks are protected by an automatic sprinkler system.
- Bonfires are not allowed.
- Recreational fires must be 25 ft. from a structure, with the pile size to be 3 ft. or less in diameter and 2 ft. or less in height.
- Trash consisting of moist or green vegetation or other objectionable materials causing unwanted smoke is not allowed to be burned. Burn barrels, trash, tires, wire insulation, etc. are not allowed to be burned.
- When a legal recreational fire is allowed, the fire shall be constantly attended until the fire is extinguished. A means of "Fire extinguishment" such as a hose, shovel or portable fire extinguisher shall be readily available and on-site.
- Open burning at any construction site is prohibited, and nuisance-type fire will be extinguished immediately.



Coffee with a Cop

July 6, 9-10 a.m.

In-Person

Délice Bakery & Café

2747 S State Street



Business Watch

Businesses are encouraged to participate.

July 7, 5 p.m.

In-Person

Les Olsen Company

3244 South 300 West

Virtual Meetings

Visit: www.sslc.gov for link



Neighborhood Watch

Residents & businesses are encouraged to participate.

July 7, 7 p.m.

Men's Resource Center Neighborhood Meeting

A conversation about homelessness in our community.

July 20, 4 p.m.

Celebrate SSL: Granite Legacy Neighborhood

As South Salt Lake celebrates 2022 as the 'Year of the Neighborhood', we are highlighting the neighborhoods that make us unique and taking note of what makes them so special. Take a moment and find out about some of its history, landmarks, businesses, and what makes it uniquely a great neighborhood in South Salt Lake!

Granite Legacy is a Hub for Education

Granite Legacy just as it sounds, is a legacy of the former Granite High School, which has been converted to new uses but still holding onto the strength and memories of a truly remarkable institution. Granite High, and indeed Granite School District, was founded at the corner of 3300 S and 500 E in 1880 as a little one-room schoolhouse by John Scott and Mary Pugh Scott, the first teacher. As the family grew, so did the school, and Mary was paid with food, grain, and wool by other families. By 1890, the building you see today was started, and in 1907, the building officially became Granite High.



The school moved across the street to a campus that expanded many times, but the Scott School stayed an integral part of Granite High, with classes ranging from art to auto shop and woodworking. It became a community art center as well, thanks to the efforts of Glenn Beeley who established the Pioneer Craft House. Today, the art center is run by the SSL Arts Council and the

classrooms serve over 100 youth in the Promise South Salt Lake program. The school doesn't look much different but the kids are - they come from around the world and are using iPads and headphones in addition to paint brushes and pencils.

Education is still a big part of this neighborhood, currently, 6,000 of our residents are youth under 18 years and are served by Lincoln Elementary, Granite Park Junior, and Cottonwood High, plus the Promise SSL programs. This anchor corner has seen some changes this past decade, as many historic buildings were demolished and replaced, but the spirit lives on. Where once a track surrounded a football field, a walking path and fitness course now surround the new Granite Branch library. Where once the Freedom Fest fireworks were displayed, a food truck court and an outdoor amphitheater will welcome music and performance.

Mill Creek makes a shortcut through the neighborhood before swinging north to Fitts Park. Mill Creek Trail along the south side of 3300 S connects people to the 500 East bike route and the UTA bus route 33 takes people on the only route that crosses the valley all the way east to west. 3300 South and 700 East are major arterials that make this neighborhood one of the most accessible and busiest in the city. Good things keep coming to the neighborhood, with plenty of entertainment (Century 16, The Organ Loft), unique food (IndieGo Coffee, La Tenoch), and close to shopping in Chinatown. Several pocket parks dot the area, including the library green space as well as McCall Park and Lincoln Park.

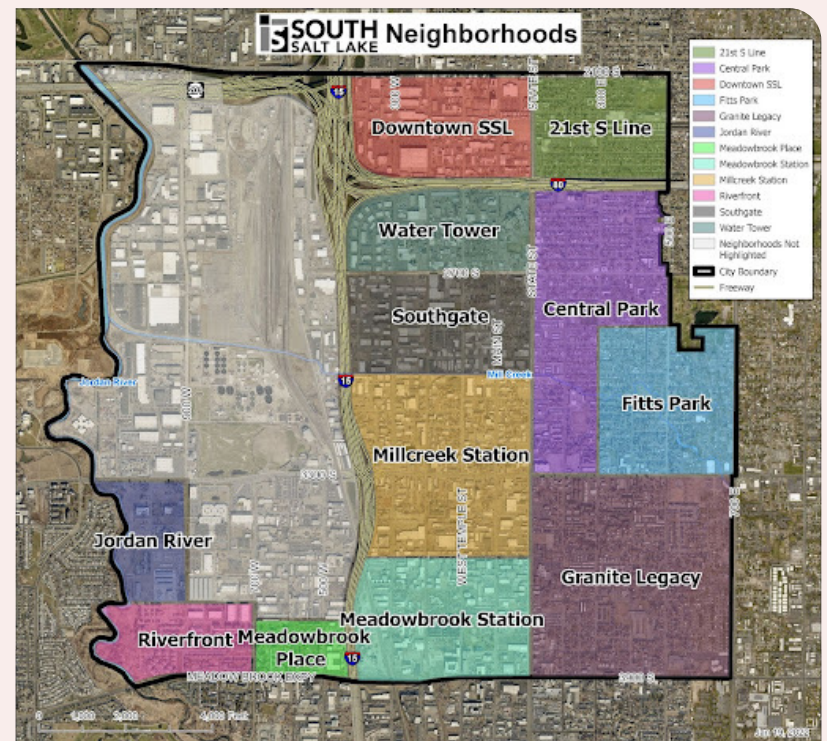


New SL County Granite Library—3331 South 500 East | scolibrary.org

Amenities Include: Large Create Space, with virtual reality technology, a Create AV recording studio, 3D printing, and design tools. Create Kitchen for classes and events focused on culinary literacy, nutrition, and community food traditions.

Kids Cafe at Granite Library—3:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Utah Food Bank nutrition program where youth may receive a meal each afternoon, Monday through Friday.



Boundaries: 3300 South to 3900 South, State Street to 700 East

SSL City Council District: Districts 4, Portia Mila & 5, Shane Siwik

Businesses: Rosewood Assisted Care, Firehouse Subs, Zions Bank, America First Credit Union, Mark Miller Subaru, Astro Burgers, Legacy RV, Hertz, Oh Mai, Low Book Sales, The Pie, Beans & Brews, The Med, IndieGo Coffee



The Granite branch was designed to pay homage to Granite High School by incorporating a modern take on the lines and colors of the old buildings. In addition, the "Farmer's Way" area of the branch highlights historic photographs and memorabilia, including the mounted original Granite seal mosaic from the school entrance.

YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD.
MADE STRONGER BY YOU

Contact your
Neighborhood Ambassador
801.464.6757
connect@ssl.gov

GRANITE LEGACY



The SSL Department of Neighborhoods would love to hear your feedback. Connect with Abby Sherlock, the SSL Neighborhood Ambassador, to share what makes your neighborhood great, what you might change, or what needs some TLC.

Community Happenings

Congrats to The Neuberts GRANITE LEGACY NEIGHBORHOOD



Transitioning their more traditional flower beds to more native and drought-tolerant plants such as sedum and interspaced with trees, the Neuberts are able to maintain a colorful and curb-appealing landscape while conserving water and saving money on their monthly water utility bill.

Mayor Cherie Wood encourages you to nominate those around your neighborhood who you believe deserve a Beautiful Yard Award—or you could even nominate a block for a Beautiful Street Award or Balcony. It's easy to nominate, to do so, contact SSL Neighborhoods!

Email connect@ssl.gov or call 801-464-6757.

PASIFIKA FASHION SHOW
FREE & OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

10TH ANNUAL
**UTAH PACIFIC ISLAND
HERITAGE MONTH**
Kick-Off

**GODDESS
WITHIN**

Friday, July 29th
6pm-9pm

**SOUTH
SALT LAKE**
COLUMBUS CENTER
2531 S 400 E SSL
PARKING ON 400 E
BACK PARKING LOT

EVENTBRITE.COM
MEYLYNNGODDESSWITHIN

SCAN CODE
FOR TICKET INFO

The Meylynn Collection
Denise's collection is inspired by her beautiful daughter, Meylynn, and pays tribute to her identity as a Pacific Islander and its surrounding Oceanic indigenous cultures.

**BROADWAY
MEDIA**

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**Pacific Island
Chamber of Commerce**

**Pacific Island
Heritage Month**

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iS SOUTH SALT LAKE

2022 STATE of the CITY Awards

Recognizing the incredible people and businesses who make South Salt Lake truly a community! To find the complete list of those honored, visit ssl.gov.



United Way &
Promise SSL
Partner of the Year
English Skills
Learning Center
eslcenter.org



Best Small Business
Alphagraphics
2945 S W Temple
alphagraphics.com



Best Creative Industry
Grid City Beer Works
333 W 2100 S
gridcitybeerworks.com



Best Pizza
Villaggio Pizzeria
3144 S State Street, Suite 1
villaggio-slc.com



Best Coffee
IndieGo Coffee
3310 S 500 East
indiegocoffee.com



Best Cafe
Dali Crepes
2854 S W Temple
dalicrepes.com



Best Employer
PDQ
2200 S Main Street
PDQ.com

MONDAYS with the MAYOR



Get to know your
city with Mayor
Cherie Wood!

Monday, July 18, 6 p.m.

NEW GRANITE LIBRARY
3300 S 500 East



SENIOR CENTER

July Events — 2531 S 400 E

SPECIAL LIVE ENTERTAINMENT

Fridays at 10:30 am
Rich Dixon, July 8
Columbus Choir, July 15
Larry Turner, July 22
Easy Street Band, July 29

DEALING WITH DEMENTIA

Friday, July 8 and 15, 9:30 am—11:30 am
*This workshop provides effective strategies for dealing with dementia behaviors. Please visit the front desk or call 385-468-3340 to register.

COVID-19 VACCINE CLINIC

(COVID-19 testing also available)
Weds, July 6, 8:30 am—11:30 am
*Vaccine available to everyone (5 yrs. & older)





Lunch on the Move Apollo Burger

Wed, July 20
11 a.m. - 2 p.m.

SSL City Hall
220 East Morris Ave, North Side

Discover a new food truck each month!

**WE ARE
HIRING NOW!**

- City Planner
- Seasonal Laborer
- Sports Official
- Concrete Worker

visit: sslc.gov

Less Food Waste Saves Water



Did you know that food scraps and spoiled food currently make up 20 to 30 percent of what we throw away? If we weren't buying and wasting those items—causing them to be planted and watered along their journey to our fridges and tables, we could save a significant amount of water—and of course, money. Legitimate scraps (think cantaloupe peel and celery tops), could and should be composted—along with grass clippings, fallen leaves, and other yard waste.

Celebrating Juneteenth!



As part of the Project Success Coalition, the Juneteenth Children's Day Festival on Saturday, June 11th took place in South Salt Lake at the Columbus Center. Mayor Cherie Wood attended and shared the SSL City's Juneteenth Proclamation. The City wishes to thank all who organized, contributed, and attended, especially Betty Sawyer and Mama Charlotte for their enthusiasm and abilities to share insights about the origins of the Juneteenth celebration and for making all feel like family!!



movie in the park



**FRIDAY
JULY 29**

**Central Park
2797 S 200 E**

Movie @ Dusk

7:00 p.m.

Activities



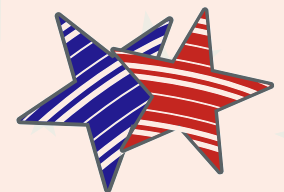
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INDEPENDENCE DAY PARADE

**AMERICA
ACROSS
GENERATIONS!**

**MONDAY
JULY 4th**



**Fun Run
8 a.m.**

**Flag
Ceremony
9:30 a.m.**

**Parade
10 a.m.**

**Festivities
at Fitts Park
10:30 a.m.
to 1:00 p.m.**

Start: 2250 S 300 E End: 3050 S 500 E



Entries or Questions?

Myrna Clark

mclark@sslc.gov

801-483-6076

Leslie Jones

ljones@sslc.gov

801-750-1632

www.sslc.gov

New Community Garden is Taking Shape!

Just south of Fitts Park on Front Ave (approx. 400 East) volunteers have been showing up and working hard, prepping plots to get several new gardens growing.

Want to be a part? Connect with the WCG Garden Manager, Giles Larsen at giles@wasatchcommunitygardens.org.



Promise

Help Utah Close the Digital Divide

The Utah Broadband Center, powered by the Utah Governor's Office of Economic Opportunity has launched the Utah Internet Speed Test Campaign. This is a statewide effort for Utahns to report internet speeds or lack of internet connection.

People with or without internet access are encouraged to participate. This campaign will collect data to:

- Identify the areas of Utah where homes and businesses lack high-speed internet connection
- Direct funding to provide reliable broadband access throughout the state
- Discover which households do not have an Internet connection and the reasons why.

TAKE THE 60-SECOND SPEED TEST TODAY

speedtest.utah.gov

INTERNET SPEED TEST

Help Utah's economy and your community by taking the speed test at speedtest.utah.gov. The test takes less than 60 seconds. For those who do not have access to the internet, please call the campaign's hotline at 1-435-777-TEST (8378).



Medicaid, Medicare or Uninsured? WE ARE HERE TO HELP

Services include:

- Blood Pressure, Diabetes, Cholesterol Care
- Clinical Breast Exam and Pap Smear
- Weight Management
- Anxiety and Depression Care
- Acute or Chronic Illness Care
- And more...

UtahPartners FOR HEALTH
Mobile Health Clinic
Providing Access to Healthcare to Those in Need



CLINIC CALENDAR

Tuesday, July 19
8:30 am - 1:30 pm
Central Park
Community Center
2797 S 200 E



CALL FOR YOUR FREE APPOINTMENT!
801.455.1729 | 385.204.6257

To find the weekly location of our mobile clinic, visit upfh.org, and for information also visit Utah Partners for Health on Facebook.

SOUTH SALT LAKE



South Salt Lake has 13 neighborhood centers serving our community.

Hser Ner Moo Community Center
2531 South 400 East (Columbus)
801-828-7245

Olene Walker Elementary
3751 South 900 West
801-828-8219

Historic Scott School Center
Commonwealth Youth Center
3280 South 540 East
801-803-3632

Lincoln Community School
450 East 3700 South
801-657-0416

Utah International School
350 East Baird Circle
801-520-7175

Central Park / PAL Center
2797 South 200 East
801-386-4949

Best Buy Teen Tech Center
2531 South 400 East
801-455-0994

Woodrow Wilson School
2567 South Main Street
801-386-0589

Granite Park Jr. High
3031 South 200 East
801-440-4499

Meadowbrook Center
1125 West 3300 South
801-828-8219

Cottonwood High Promise
5715 South 1300 East
385-630-9748

Kearns Saint Ann Promise
430 East 2100 South
385-630-9754

Moss Elementary
4399 South 500 East
385-258-6360

JOURNEY TO HEALTH FREE NUTRITION EDUCATION PROGRAM

IN COLLABORATION WITH
THE WELLNESS BUS, UTAH
FOOD BANK, INTERMOUNTAIN
COMMUNITY CARE
FOUNDATION, AND CENTRAL
PARK COMMUNITY CENTER.



Join other community members to learn about eating healthy on a budget with this 6-month program. Participants will receive over \$100 worth of gifts if they attend all activities!

CLASS SCHEDULE:

- + 1st Free Health Screening at the Wellness Bus (JULY) Free blood pressure, blood sugar, and cholesterol tests
- + July 28: Intro to Nutrition Cooking Demonstration Enjoy a free snack
- + August 4: Food Access and Healthy Eating Basics Receive a free food box
- + August 11: How to Grocery Shop & Read Nutrition Labels Receive a \$25 Smith's gift card
- + August 18: Choosing Healthy Snacks and Drinks Receive a kitchenware bag
- + Two Health Coaching Sessions with a Registered Dietitian Nutritionist (SEP-OCT) Receive a \$10 Smith's gift card with each session
- + 2nd Free Health Screening at the Wellness Bus (NOV) Free blood pressure, blood sugar, and cholesterol tests
- + December 8: Community Meal Enjoy a free dinner

*Classes taught in English and Spanish

Utah Wellness Bus @UtahWellnessBus



CENTRAL PARK COMMUNITY CENTER

THURSDAYS
6 - 7 PM

Central Park Community Center
2797 S 200 E
South Salt Lake City, UT 84115

VISIT THE WELLNESS BUS AT
CENTRAL PARK COMMUNITY
CENTER ON THURSDAYS FROM
3 - 7 PM FOR A FREE HEALTH
SCREENING AND MORE
INFORMATION.

Text 385.226.5131 to
REGISTER!

IN PARTNERSHIP WITH:



PROTECT YOUR CHILD FROM LEAD POISONING



ARE YOU ABLE TO ANSWER "YES" TO THESE QUESTIONS?
IF SO, YOU MAY QUALIFY FOR FREE SERVICE

- ☒ Live in a home or rental built before 1978?
- ☒ Pregnant or have a child under the age of six living in, or visiting your home?
- ☒ Household income at or below qualifying level?

Household Size & Income Level	
1	\$51,650
2	\$59,000
3	\$66,400
4	\$73,750
5	\$79,650
6	\$85,550



CALL 385-468-4892
TEXT 385-232-4785

Salt Lake County
Lead Safe Housing Program

www.slco.org/lead-safe-housing

